

# Words of the Week

Autumn 2  
Week 4

To support your child with their word reading, each week we will be sending home a list of the focus sounds/words that your child has been learning in school in addition to their decodable reading books. Please spend time reading these sounds/words at home.

**Tricky Words**  
are words that do not play by the rules

## **e-e** (as in, **these**)

these  
even  
athlete  
complete

## **ew** (as in, **chew** and as in, **new**)

new  
stew  
few  
grew  
blew  
chew

## **ie** (as in, **shield**)

shield  
field  
shriek  
brown  
bodies  
belief

## **aw** (as in, **claw**)

draw  
claw  
straw  
paw  
crawl  
squawk

## **Tricky words**

These words cannot be read phonetically as they break some of the phonics rules! Practise reading these words from sight.

could  
would  
should  
our  
house  
mouse  
water  
want

## **Write**

Slowly read this sentence to your child and see if they can write it independently using their phonics knowledge.



A child found a bird  
hidden in a tree.



Scan this code using a phone or iPad to watch helpful videos and find downloadable resources linked to the sounds.